## Arcata budget stable but stagnant

Kevin L. Hoover MAD RIVER UNION

ARCATA – The City Council held one of two budget study sessions last week, with the second one taking place tomorrow, Thursday, June 24 at 5:30 p.m. That meeting will also include a council decision on whether to appoint a replacement councilmember for outgoing Mayor Sofia Pereira, who recently resigned, or schedule a special election.



**Chief Brian** Ahearn

Despite the COVID-19 pandemic, tax revenues are stable and in some cases stronger than ever. Fee increases on water and wastewater have also yielded income, much of that earmarked for wastewater treatment plant upgrades. Grants have helped deliver additional revenue.

But expenditures loom as well, with major projects, employee costs and insurance rate hikes soaking up all avail-

able revenue and challenging restoration of services. By far, the biggest capital outlay is for the wastewater treatment plant overhaul, at \$10.5 million.

The city has kept its budget balanced through the COVID crisis by making \$1.3 million in cuts, mostly by freezing or eliminating staff positions, and suspending planned projects and new vehicle purchases.

A handful of those cuts are restored in the new budget, including a few police positions and part-timers in parks, facilities and street maintenance. But, states a staff report, "Although the City remains fiscally solvent, the rebuilding of City services will take at least another two years."

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## Manila pins rehab hopes on \$2.5M state flood grant

Jan Bramlett

Jack Durham, MAD RIVER UNION

Community Services Dis-

trict is applying for a \$2.5 million grant to help solve drainage problems in the sandy outpost.

If the district is able to get the funding from the California Nat-Resources

Agency's Urban Flood Protection Grant Program, numerous old culverts will be replaced and new culverts will be installed throughout Manila.

New culverts would be installed on Stamps Lane, Orange Drive and on Peninsula Drive between Beach and Orange drives in a spot that regularly floods.

Culverts would also be replaced on Young Lane, Sandy Road and Mill Street.

The district would also solve the drainage problem at the Manila Community Center, where a small lake develops every winter between two buildings.

A map showing the pro-MANILA – The Manila posed culverts, bioswales and other improvements can be download-

ed at madriverunion.com. The district's

Board of Directors voted unanimously at its June 17 meeting to submit the grant application.

**Position eliminated** 

The board also voted unanimously to eliminate a utility worker position, which leaves the tiny district with a staff of three.

The position was held by long-time employee Maggie Fox, who resigned after being injured in a bicycle crash in April. She has since moved to the Sacramento area to be closer to family.

Rather than fill the position, the district will contract out some of the park maintenance to Teen Challenge. Eliminating the position will save the district

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## Reopening in full swing as COVID risks remain

**Daniel Mintz** MAD RIVER UNION

HUMBOLDT - Marking what Humboldt County's health officer calls a "milestone," the state's coronavirus stay at home order, risk tier system and almost all restrictions have been lifted, leaving infection control

The shift from away from public health mandates began June 15, when a new state public health order took

up to individuals and businesses that

choose to require it.

Its premise is that COVID-19 vaccines are "effective in preventing infection, disease, and spread."

But there's still risk, according to the order, as "unvaccinated persons are more likely to get infected and spread the virus."

For now, new rules are geared toward returning the state to the social and economic life it had before March 2020, when the stay at home order and its restrictions were issued.

Masks are no longer required for vaccinated people except on public transit, and in school, health care and



STILL JABBING AWAY Dept. of Public Health staff and volunteers offered COVID-19 vaccinations at Saturday's Humboldt Crabs game at the Arcata Ball Park, with free admission to the vaccinees. MATT FILAR | UNION

other group settings.

The unvaccinated must continue to wear masks.

Deciding who's who is left up to the operators of businesses and other venues. Businesses can allow patrons to "self-attest" their vaccination status, ask for vaccination verification or continue to require masks.

To facilitate verification, the state has launched a website that confirms

the information on a vaccination card and gives its holder a QR code. It can be scanned to prove vaccination.

In most places, there are no longer any public health rules on capacity limits or physical distancing.

Restrictions will still apply to "mega events" and school and youth group settings, as there is no authorized vaccine for those under 12 years **COVID \* PAGE 4** 

# Bayside Hall's agonizing decision looming

**Kevin L. Hoover** 

MAD RIVER UNION BAYSIDE - Bayside Community Hall is at crossroads - one offering only painful, risky and uncertain paths forward - those being: walk away from the hall, surrendering the building and its assets to the National Grange organization, fight to keep it as an independent entity, or have those willing to do

national organization. The hall's leadership has just days to choose from among these unpalatable alternatives, making its best guess as to what will preserve the historic Bayside landmark's mission of community service.

Following a series of court rulings in its favor, the National Grange of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry is poised to resume control of what had been renamed the Bayside Community Hall in 2017 in an effort to cement its independence.

The harrowing situation was outlined at a hall meeting last Thursday, June 17. Video of the meeting and related documents are

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available at baysidecommunityhall.org.

Tamara Myers of Freshwater Hall began with a history of the litigious power struggle between state and local granges and the national organization, dating back to 2006.

Over ensuing years, a succession of court decisions fell in favor of the National Grange, culminating in an April ruling affirmso rejoin and be part of the ing that the state Grange, aligned with the national group, may reassert control of the Bayside Grange.

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history were on display at the meeting. KLH | UNION



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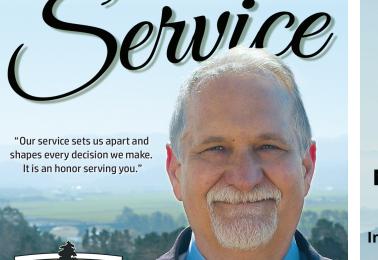
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## Arcata manhole rehab gets underway Monday

CITY OF ARCATA

ARCATA - The Building & Engineering Department will begin making infrastructure improvements for the 2021 Manhole Rehabilitation Project on Monday, June 28.

The City of Arcata has contracted with H&R Plumbing and Drain Cleaning for this project, which involves the rehabilitation of 17 sewer manholes located on Aldergrove Road, Ericson Wav. Frank Martin Court, Anderson Lane, the Bayside Park Farm parking lot and Old Arcata Road, in addition to two lift stations located on Samoa Boulevard and L.K. Wood Boulevard.

Construction will begin on Monday, June 28 on Aldergrove Road between West End Road and Ericson Way.

Additional work will continue at various loca-



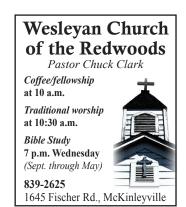
tions throughout Arcata for approximately two to four weeks thereafter. Portions of the work will require temporary lane closures, and traffic control and flaggers will be in place to help mitigate disruptions in the roadway.

Although delays are expected to be minimal, members of the community are encouraged to follow all safety directions and use alternate routes if possible.

Construction will take place Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on some days the contractor may extend work hours from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

If challenges arise with this project, please contact Horacio with H&R Plumbing at (510) 222-5556 or the City of Arcata at (707) 825-2175.

This project is currently scheduled to be completed by mid-August, and updates on construction progress and project plans can be viewed at cityofarcata.org.





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## The many alternatives to dumping and running

CITY OF ARCATA

ARCATA - The Environmental Services Department is encouraging community members to not leave unwanted furniture, household items, clothing and books on street corners or sidewalks. Free boxes and dumped furniture are a violation of the California Penal Code and Arcata's Municipal Code, and this practice often causes unnecessary damage to the environment.

There are many options for residents and landlords to consider before dumping unwanted household items and furniture on Arcata's sidewalks. Many items can be reused and recycled, so they do not end up in the landfill. The Environmental Services Department would like to share the following zero waste moving tips with the community:

- · Sell or give away your unwanted household goods online on Craigslist or Facebook Marketplace.
  - Sell or donate unwanted books

Can Mailman, located at 1000 H St., will buy up to two bags or boxes of clean books and textbooks for cash or store credit, and also accepts donations. Brainwash Thrift, located at 40 Sunnybrae Center, accepts adult clothing and accessory donations Tuesday through Saturday between 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. For a full list of Arcata businesses to sell or donate your used items, please visit *cityofarcata.org* or call (707) 822-8184.

• Donate unopened food items to Food For People. Food For People is the designated Food Bank for Humboldt County and coordinates the distribution of food countywide through a variety of hunger relief programs. For more information on how to donate, visit foodforpeople.org.

· Contact local thrift stores and recycling centers about donating large items. Some will pick up sofas and refrigerators, plus, everything sold in

and clothing to local businesses. Tin local thrift stores benefits a worthy

nonprofit. • If you are unable to sell or donate unwanted items, and are already paying for garbage service, call Recology Arcata at (707) 683-4853 to schedule a bulky trash pickup. All garbage service customers are entitled to two free bulky trash pickups each year. Find out more at recology.com/recology-arcata/bulky-items.

• If thrift stores and non-profits cannot take your items, please take them to the appropriate disposal site. Visit cityofarcata.org/309/Hazardous-Special to learn how to properly dispose of everything from a light bulb to appliances and furniture.

To report illegal dumping, call the Arcata Police Department at (707) 822-2424. For more information on moving best practices, contact the **Environmental Services Department** at eservices@cityofarcata.org or call (707) 822-8184.

## Help Trinidad shape its Local Road Safety Plan

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

TRINIDAD – The City of Trinidad has received a state grant to prepare a Local Road Safety Plan (LRSP) and is seeking public input.

The city has been working with local agency partners such as the Humboldt County Sherriff's Office, Trinidad Volunteer Fire Department and CalFire, Trinidad Union School District, Humboldt County, Caltrans District 1, and Trinidad Rancheria in the development of the LRSP.

The City is now seeking comments through the LRSP

website at *lrsp.mysocialpinpoint.com/trinidad*. Please provide your input in regards to roadway safety in the City of Trinidad through the Interactive Map (pinpoint safety concerns for driving, biking, walking, schools, and transit) and provide comments through the Project Survey.





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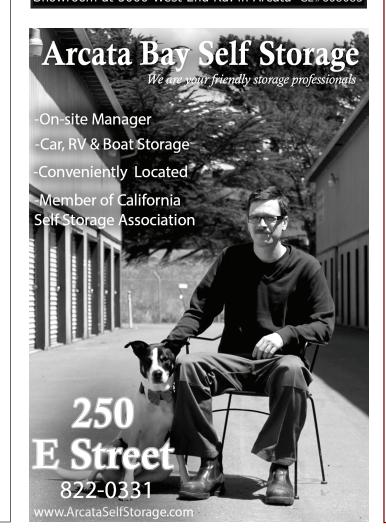
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## Comment period open for Bottoms cell tower

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ARCATA BOTTOM - A new, 130-foot freestanding cell phone tower has been proposed for the Arcata Bottom on property owned by the Arcata Land Co. The proposed tower would support up to four different carriers.

The county Planning Commission plans to grant the project a California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) exemption at its Thursday, July 1 hearing.

A cursory description of the project, PLN-2021-17005, filed Feb. 9, for Assessor's Parcel Number 506-231-010 is included in the mailed notice.

The notice, which is rife with typographical errors, states that the tower will be located 100 feet east of the intersection of Foster Avenue and Dolly Varden Road.

A staff report is to be posted Friday at humboldt.leg-Those with questions may contact the county Planning

and Building Department at planningclerk@co.hum*boldt.ca.us*, or call (707) 268-3702. The Feb. 1 Planning Commission will be viewable on

Zoom and on Access Humboldt channel 10. Those wishing to have their comments included in the Planning Commission packet must do so today, Wednes-

day, June 23. Comments must be received by Monday,







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# **HSU** sets meeting on new Children's Center

HOSPITAL HELL While the exterior of Trinity Hospital looks more or less the same as ever, super-creepy interior photos reveal the structure to be in a state of collapse in several areas. Mold-covered walls, asbestos-laden tiles and peeling lead paint offer a Cher-

nobyl-like setting in some areas, and a Blair Witch Project feel in others. More images at madriverunion.com. Photos VIA HUMBOLDT STATE

#### MAD RIVER UNION

ARCATA – A public meeting will be held on Humboldt State's Trinity Children's Center and Child Development Lab Project Thursday, July 8 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. via Zoom.

Meeting information is as follows:

- By computer: humboldtstate.zoom.us/j/86803292685? pwd=SEJadmZhK3V1aCthaEdnME9ldk1Tdz09
  - By phone: 1-669-900-6833

Meeting ID: 868 0329 2685

Passcode: 538935

The updated project would involve the partial demolition, rehabilitation, and modernization of the Trinity Annex to adaptively reuse the complex as a Childcare Center and Child Development Lab.

The historic Arcata hospital is dilapidated and loaded with hazardous materials such as asbestos and lead paint. An Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Glazed Ceramic Tile Survey Report, one of any documents available online in connection with the project, documents the extensive contamination, and offers views of the deteriorating structure.

The project would house programs currently provided on the main HSU campus. The Childcare Center and Child Development Lab program would be moved from four existing buildings on campus, including the Mary Warren House, Baiocchi House, Toddler Annex, and Swetman Child Development Lab. The buildings would remain in place and become vacant.

The proposed building complex would measure approximately 13,600 square feet in size and up to 25 feet in height. Approximately 8,100 square feet would be demolished, with approximately 9,800 square feet of the existing building would remain, and an approximately 3,800 square foot addition would be built on the eastern side of the renovated Annex.

The new building footprint and layout would provide the space required to accommodate the new Child Development Lab classroom and associated rooms. The project proposes to demolish all annexes and additions built after the original hospital was constructed in 1944. The project would relocate the existing bus stop, shelter, and bench on 14th Street to B Street, and would provide

an accessible path from the Trinity Annex to the public right-of-way and transit on B Street.

The project would also provide two HSU General Permit parking lots with 47 standard parking spaces, one van accessible space, and one standard accessible space. The project would be developed in two phases: Phase 1 would entail the demolition and hazardous materials abatement of the east wing of the Trinity Annex, and Phase 2 would entail the renovation and construction of the Trinity Center. Construction would last approximately 13 months.

#### Project documents available online

- Current Environmental Review (2021)
- Notice of Intent
- Draft Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration with Appendices • Previous Environmental Review (2017)

  - Draft Environmental Impact Report with Appendices • Notice Of Preparation:Trinity Annex Environmental
- Impact Report • Trinity Annex Initial Study
  - Trinity Annex Initial Study Appendices
  - Project Description

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## OysterFest this weekend

ARCATA - The Arcata Bay Oyster Festival returns this Saturday, June 26 with live music outside the Arcata Playhouse at 1251 Ninth St. in the Creamery District. "This extremely modified event is small and offers a stage full of excellent local music," states a press release from Arcata Main Street.

The festival kicks off at 10 a.m. The Latin Peppers perform at 10:15 a.m., Amber Soul at 11:45 a.m., Grateful Getdown at 1:15 p.m., and Paul Jones Band at 2:45 p.m. The Best Oyster Contest winners will be announced at 3:30 p.m. Oysters will be available for pickup, with more information available at arcatamainstreet.com.

"Our event will be live-streamed as a Virtual Festival at ArcataMainStreet.com, and we will showcase restaurants across the county offering oyster specials as well as local beverage providers and live music venues," states a press release from Arcata Main Street. "The Best Oyster contest will happen as it did in 2020 with judges visiting 11 local restaurants and the winners will be announced at 3:30 p.m. Our Oyster Calling Contest welcomes all, and special guests from many community organizations will be sharing news and announcements all day.'

There will be a Parking Lot Party at The Pub at the Creamery including grilled oysters by North Bay Shellfish and lots more, a studio sale at Hot Knots warehouse, additional vending and fun by The Back Porch, and a parking lot event at YouthAbility Thrift Store.

"While very different from the huge event people are used to, we are happy to present this modified event to our community. Arcata Main Street is happy to continue to work to create a vibrant downtown Arcata through fostering business vitality, providing opportunities for community events (such as Arts Arcata, Sunday Art Market, Halloween Trick or Treat, the Season of Wonder and Light, and more). We welcome volunteers and community involvement in all that we do," according to Arcata Main Street.

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## Manila | Grant

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about \$45,000 a year.

Manager Chris Drop recommended that some of that money be used to increase the salaries of the district's administrative assistant and public works supervisor.

#### **Bramlett's last meeting**

Board members and staff thanked board Chair Jan Bramlett for her service to the district.

A board member since 2011, Bramlett resigned because she had to move out of Manila after the house she was renting was put up for sale. Bramlett said she looked for a rental in Manila but was unable to find one.

Bramlett said that during her second year on the board, she began to look at ways to improve the district's parks.

"It takes a long time to do public process, even in a little town," said Bramlett, who urged directors to get started on whatever projects they want to pursue. "I think you guys have a really exciting time ahead of you."

"Jan will be missed as a strong supporter of staff, inherently understanding of our challenges and her unending support and insight," wrote Manager Drop in a report to the board.

Vice President Meghan Ryan will assume the position of board president. The board has 60 days to appoint a replacement for the board seat held by Bramlett.





## **COVID** | Vaccinations

**\* FROM PAGE 1** 

On June 18, revised workplace regulations were approved and described in a county press release. Subject to verification, vaccinated workers don't have to wear

Physical distancing and barriers aren't required unless there's an outbreak and "upon request, employers must provide unvaccinated employees with respirators at no cost for voluntary use."

During a June 16 virtual press conference, county Public Health Officer Dr. Ian Hoffman described the reopening as "a real milestone" and predicted a "continued decline in COVID over the coming weeks and months."

He said that's due to the "last protective measure that we have against COVID-19" – vaccination. But it's still in development.

"This is not over yet – we're still working on vaccinating our community," said Hoffman.

A new strategy of taking vaccination to where people gather is being implemented at Humboldt Crabs games.

A press release from Senator Mike McGuire states that Humboldt's COVID-19 rates are "still too high" and a July 2 "ballpark vaccination clinic" includes free game tickets and a "scrumptious hot dog dinner" to the first 100 shot recipients.

As of the end of last week, 44 percent of the county's population was fully vaccinated, an increase of about two percent from the previous week.

At the start of the news conference, Public Information Officer Meriah Miracle reported that there had been seven additional COVID-19 hospitalizations and one more death since the last press conference a week earlier.

But although Hoffman acknowledged that "this virus has surprised us in the past," he said re-imposing restrictions is "highly unlikely" because doing so would be based on a hospitalization surge that challenges capacity.

It's "hard to see that happening without some other major change like a new variant that could get around the vaccine's defenses," he continued.

Variants have already shown ability to adapt to naturally-induced immune system response. Some reduce the effectiveness of vaccines but serious illness is still prevented if both doses of a double-dose vaccine have The vaccine confidence expressed in the state's new

health order has a caveat. It warns of "high levels of transmission in other parts of the world" and the steadily multiplying coronavirus variants.

The order notes the "possibility of vaccine escape," or ability to overcome vaccine protection.

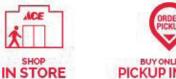
Between June 12 and June 17, the county confirmed 50 more cases of COVID-19, bringing the total to 4,462. There was no COVID-19 report on June 18 due to being a holiday.

The county's hospitalization total was at 199. There were two more deaths, of residents in their 60s and 70s.





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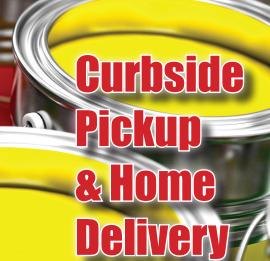












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## Impressive performance by Humboldt Crabs



**RUNNING THE BASES** Ember Ingraham runs the bases at the end of the Humboldt Crabs game on Satur-ERIK FRASER | HUMBOLDT CRABS

Richard LaPreziosa MAD RIVER UNION

ARCATA - Sometimes while watching your favorite baseball team on television, it's easier to tell a home run

However, in person, balls are hit that make some fans say "Wow!" only to see what becomes a routine fly ball to the outfield. It looked like it was gone but then just sput-

But on Thursday night, in the second inning of the opener of the Crabs' four-game weekend series against the Seattle Studs, the Crabs left no doubt on three hard hit home runs over the mesh monster in left field, which landed on 101 South.

On the first pitch he saw, new Crabs star Andrew Allanson absolutely crushed the first homer of the game.

This was followed by another impressive bomb by outfielder Tyler Ganus, this one a two-run homer. Then it was **UPCOMING HUMBOLDT CRABS GAMES** Wednesday, June 23 at 7 p.m.:

Redding Tigers

Friday, June 25 at 6 p.m.: AWAY GAME, San Luis Obispo Blue

Saturday, June 26 at 4 p.m.:

AWAY GAME, San Luis Obispo Blues

Sunday, June 27 at 1 p.m.: AWAY GAME, San Luis Obispo Blues

Tuesday, June 29 at 7 p.m.: NorCal Warriors (Dollar Dogs) humboldtcrabs.com

Ethan Smith's turn. With a man on first base he added another 2 runs with the third home run of the inning giving the Crabs a 5-0 early lead that they would not give up en route to a 10-5 victory.

After last week's rain-outs and a Tuesday night win over the Humboldt Eagles the Crabs were back in the swing of

CRABS ❖ PAGE 6

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## Cheers to wine at the ballpark

**66** T've been going to Crabs games all my life," winemaker Wil Franklin said. Now Franklin can share the passion of his life with Crabs fans – wine. And it is wine grown from "the oldest vines in Humboldt County still producing wine," according to his website.



Franklin is the owner and winemaker of Trinity River Vineyards in Willow Creek. Trinity Rivers offerings at the ball park are a red wine, Coho Red, a white, Kingfisher Sauvignon Blanc, and a rosé, Merganser Rosé. The wines are named, appropriately, after local fish and birds. These wines come

from the Willow Creek American Viticulture Area of Humboldt County. Established in 1983, it is one of the oldest and smallest of all the AVAs of California. All grapes used in these wines are organically grown.

The wines will be sold at the bar with the beer and cider offerings, as five ounce pours in plastic glasses because glass is not allowed in the park. Wine Wednesdays are a new Crabs special event with wine selling at a discounted price of \$5.



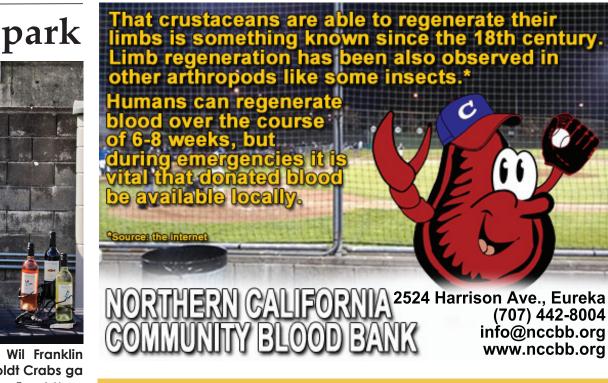
TRINITY RIVER VINYARDS Wil Franklin serves his wine at a Humboldt Crabs ga MATT FILAR | UNION

Look for Franklin helping out with pouring duties on Wine Wednesdays.

Franklin is a true local vintage himself, a graduate of Equinox School in Arcata and of Humboldt State University. His background is plant biology; he holds a bachelor's degree in botany and a master's in mycology.

He teaches in the Extended Education program at HSU.

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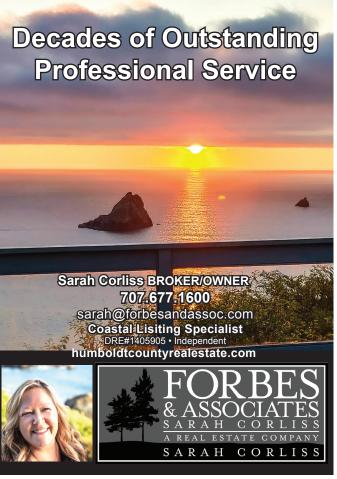












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## Coast Guard rescues crew of disabled sailboat in 20-foot seas

U.S. COAST GUARD

McKINLEYVILLE/ NORTH BEND - Coast

Guard crews from McKinleyville and North Bend, Oregon, rescued six people from their 79-foot sailboat Saturday, June 19 approximately 80 miles west of



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Crescent City.

Coast Guard Sector Humboldt Bay watchstanders received a VHF distress call at 3:45 p.m. from the crew of the sailboat Barlovento reporting the boat was disabled, taking on water and had a person aboard with a head and arm injury in approximately 60 mileper-hour winds and 20-foot

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Watchstanders directed the launch of a Coast Guard Air Station Sacramento C-27J Spartan fixed-wing crew to provide air support and a Coast Guard Sector Humboldt Bay MH-65 Dolphin helicopter crew.

The Dolphin crew arrived on scene and hoisted the injured person from

the Barlovento and transported the person to local emergency medical services personnel at Coast Guard Sector Humboldt Bay.

With the Barlovento expected to lose power, Sector Humboldt Bay watchstanders requested additional air support from a Coast Guard Air Station North Bend MH-65 Dolphin helicopter

The Sector Humboldt Bay Dolphin crew returned to the scene and hoisted three people from the Barlovento and the Air Station North Bend Dolphin crew arrived on scene and hoisted the remaining two peo-

All survivors were trans-



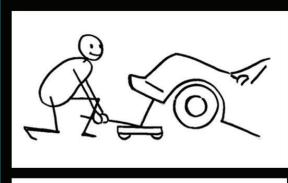


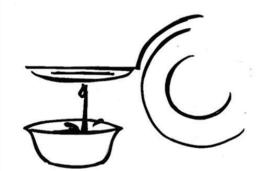
**PLUCKED** A Coast Guard rescue swimmer is lowered from a helicopter to pluck the crew of a 79-foot sailboat and bring them to safety. From Coast Guard Video

"This case was a great example of a successful, multi-unit effort and highlights the importance of standardized procedures," said Lt. Ryan O'Neill, a Dolphin aircraft commander at Sector Humboldt Bay. "The careful coordination

ported to Sector Humboldt between the two helicopters with support from the C-27 allowed us to save all six sailors."

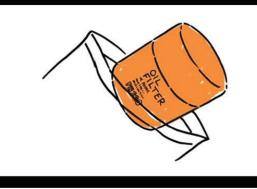
> Sector Humboldt Bay watchstanders issued a broadcast to mariners regarding the abandoned Barolvento and requested that mariners transit the area with caution.

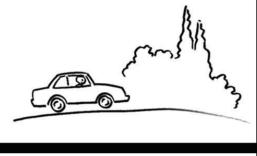
















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MAY THE FORCE BE WITH YOU Crab fans Janine Volkmar, left, and Tamara Clohessy during Star Wars night at a Crabs Game. MATT FILAR | UNION

#### **Crabs** | Off to San Luis Obispo

**FROM PAGE 5** 

things, scoring a whopping 32 runs in this series to Seattle's 15.

Seattle evened things up on Friday night with a 4-3 win, handing Humboldt their second loss of the young

But Saturday saw an even more impressive offensive outburst by the Crabs, this time for 16 runs. Five of those were scored in a monster 5th inning helped along by another 3 run homer by Andrew Allanson. And another new Crab, Dylan McPhillips, accounted for batting in 5 of those runs while the Crabs won the game 16-4.

So this weekend saw lots of offense for sure but what about pitching? Well, Crabs star pitcher Cole Tremain had that covered. He pitched 5 innings in Sunday afternoon's 3-2 win allowing only two hits and earning the win to improve his record to 3-0.

So with their record of 10 wins and only two losses and all of these homers and stolen bases and overall baseball excitement, I'd bet at this point you're really wanting to get yourself to the Arcata Ball Park yourself.

But you might have to wait because the Crabs are taking a road trip Friday through Sunday to play the San Luis Obispo Blues, a formidable team who's only lost once this season.

That means if you don't want to take the trip down to San Luis Obispo, you'll have to wait for Tuesday and Wednesday's two game set with the NorCal Warriors and hope the Crabs' offensive fireworks continue on 4th of July weekend at the ballpark with a 3 game series against the Solano Mudcats.

#### **Wine** | 'In total control of that grape' **FROM PAGE 5**

"I got my start in the wine industry during harvest," he said, "when they take anyone with a pulse. I ran a night lab even though I had never worked with wine be-

fore. I fell in love." Trinity River wines are available at Murphy's Markets, Wildberries, the Northcoast Co-op, Eureka Natural Foods and at local restaurants and pubs. And now at the ballpark!

It's a chance, according to local wine educator Pam Long, to find out "what Willow Creek tastes like."

Franklin, she explained, knows the winemaking process "from soil to roots to vine to glass."

"He knows everything about that plant, that soil, that terroir, so that he is in total control of that grape. And

you're only as good as your grape," Long said. "I'm so grateful to do this," Franklin said. "My kids are of the age that I can take them and their friends to

games."" So whether you prefer a red or a white or a rosé, raise a glass of Trinity Rivers wine to the Crabs. Cheers!

Wine Wednesdays are June 23, June 30, July 14, July 21 and July 28.

facebook.com/trinityrivervineyards

## Olive and Scout are low drama, yet eager

get a lot of questions regarding whether people are returning their COVID pups now that life is returning to some semblance of normal.

I am happy to report that that is not the case. Redwood Pals adopted out puppies from 13 different litters over the course of the pandemic and we are

happy to report that they are all doing very well.

This is the time of the year when the shelter dog population does tend to increase but that has more to do with summer vacations and adoption slowdowns than dogs being returned.

If you've been thinking of adopting a dog, now is a great time! There is quite an assortment of dogs available. You can always view the most up to date listing of available dogs and cats at the shelter by going to petharbor.com.

Two of the dogs that you might find there are Olive and Scout. Olive is what we sometimes think of as a no assembly required kind of dog.

Olive is a very low-drama girl. She gets along well with other dogs and is very easy to walk. The volunteers adore this one! One volunteer describes her as a real lady, another says she is a dream, so responsive and gentle.



nice medium size. She has great recall and is very attentive to her handler. Olive was non-reactive when exposed to the shelter cats which leads us to believe that she could live in a home with cats. She does have a playful side and has been known to get the zoomies in the play yard!

We think Olive could fit in easily in any of a variety of homes. Come meet this sweet girl soon!

Pretty girl Scout is another pup from the litter that was abandoned on Cock Robin Island in Loleta. We could not have imagined how well these puppies would have progressed!

Scout is now about 8 months old and has mastered walking nicely on the leash, sit, and letting herself be brushed and pet. She is fabulous with other dogs - all of her siblings are also! – and gets a lot of playtime with the other shelter residents. Scout Olive is about two years old and a seemed to do well with the kitties. She likes to chase the moths she sees on our walks which is very cute.

These dogs are eager to learn as evidenced by their amazing transformation from scared pups hiding in the outside kennel to eager participants waiting at the front of the gate to go for a walk. Come meet Scout today and be impressed!

Olive and Scout are spayed, micro-chipped and current on their vaccinations. They are both available through the Humboldt County Animal Shelter. The shelter is open Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Appointments are required to meet the dogs and can be made by calling (707) 840-9132.



## **Arcata Chamber 4th** of July Jubilee Parade

ARCATA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

ARCATA - The Arcata Chamber of Commerce, Fourth of July Jubilee Parade takes place Sunday, July 4 at noon (participants meet at 11:30 a.m.).

The parade begins in the Arcata Creamery District on Eighth Street, between N and L streets. The parade will travel east on Eighth Street. ending with two laps around the Arcata Plaza.

This will be a great opportunity for the community to come together, while staying mobile, for health and safe-

Participants are encouraged to shop and eat locally at Arcata businesses before and after the parade.

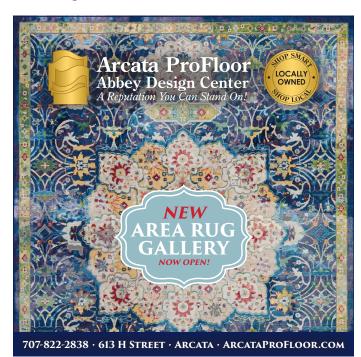
This is a family-friendly, alcohol and drug-free event, open to all. So dress up, get festive and bring out the bubbles!

The Chamber is seeking mobile talent to enhance the celebration: performing artists, dance groups, kinetic sculptures, acoustic musicians, percussion ensembles, etc. are invited to join in the fun as well as, bicyclists, families with children, students, businesses and all community members.

Local businesses are encouraged to be open with sidewalk sales and storefront signs. Contact the Arcata Chamber for promotions.

All current, state and county mandated COVID safety protocols will be followed. Get involved by volunteering or becoming an event sponsor.

Visit ArcataChamber.com (click on the blue banner) to pre-register to join the procession, volunteer and become a sponsor.





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## Big day for JCS Garden, Land Trust, Bayside Hall Saturday, June 26

Meet your local pollinators, explore Jacoby Creek, celebrate compost, build a bird house, enjoy Komboucha and stew

his update comes to you from Sue Moore, volunteer voordinator for the Jacoby Creek School Garden about the celebration of pollinators coming up next weekend:

Barn swallows snatched insects from the air, and the first dragonfly darted into the flowering wildflowers yesterday afternoon.

The new wildlife pond is lined and ready to fill with rainwater, and we're looking forward to welcoming vis-

itors to the Jacoby Creek School Garden and the Jacoby Creek Land Trust on Saturday, June 26 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Don't forget to stop by the Bayside Community Hall for refreshments, and enjoy a relaxing walk through Bayside.

Here is what is happening where:

• Jacoby Creek School Garden (1617 Old Arcata Rd.)

– Learn about honey bees and native bees in the school garden. Explore the pollinator plants; search out their visitors; learn about the new ponds; and support the garden with a donation

This update comes to you for a variety of (mostly native) plants, or a hand crafted planter yourdinator for the Jacoby

• Bayside Community Hall (2297 Jacoby Creek Rd.) – Birds

and Beans coffee, It's Alive Kombucha, teas, home baked goods and home-made soups and stews will be on sale, with all proceeds benefiting Bayside non-profits. A few tables will be set up for indoor dining, or bring a blanket and sit in the backyard.

• Jacoby Creek

Land Trust (2182 Old Arcata Rd.) – Explore beautiful Jacoby Creek to learn more about the recent restoration projects, and future restorative plans for the Jacoby Creek Watershed.

Carolyn

**Jones** 

Become involved in your community's essential role in supporting a thriving ecosystem.

Talk to biologists about the roles of birds, bees, bats, dragon flies and damselflies in local ecology

Be reminded why we don't need rodenticides or poisons because Raptors Are The Solution.

Why compost? Jacoby Creek Land Trust Garden will host Full Cycle Composting, an innovative and energetic group who will keep your food waste out of the landfill, and compost it into the vegetable growing soils at JCLT.

Want to build your own birdhouse? Children and adults alike can construct a "ready to install" house at JCLT under the guidance of skilled leaders.

Become a citizen scientist and contribute data to essential research projects across the globe. Let's put Humboldt County on the map as a leader in data contribution.

Commit to being an active participant in data driven programs to guide conservation and restoration projects locally and globally. We'll show you how on the June 26.

It's a great opportunity to get outside again, and meet in person!

The Jacoby Creek School Garden would like to thank Mad River Gardens, Miller Farms, and It's Alive Kombucha for their generous support.

Community meeting recap

About 75 people either came to the Bayside Hall, or tuned in by zoom, for last Thursday's community meeting about the future of the hall vis à vis the Grange lawsuits (see page 1).



POLLINATION Some of the beauties currently on display in the Jacoby Creek School Garden. Photos by Jim Moore.

For those who were unable to attend, links to the video and presentation are posted at *bayside-communityhall.org*, along with a link to a petition to the California State Grange to work towards a compromise that benefits both the Grange and local halls.

Please take a look and sign if you agree.

As always, send thoughts, comments, news to *baysidecommunityhal@gmail.org*.



## Humboldt State's polytechnic push yields rich array of new programs

HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY
HUMBOLDT STATE —
Drawing on its strengths
in STEM, environmental
and social responsibility,
and experiential learning,

and experiential learning, Humboldt State University has submitted documentation of its intent to launch several new and innovative undergraduate and graduate degree programs as soon as Fall 2022 and Fall 2023.

HSU will formally submit proposals for the following programs to the California State University for consideration: Applied Fire Science & Management, Cannabis Studies, Data Science, Energy Systems Engineering, Engineering & Community Practice, Geospatial Information Science & Technology, Marine Biology, Mechanical Engineering, and Software Engineering for Fall 2023.

"This is what a 21st century education looks like: programs where students build the skills to have meaningful careers and a nuanced understanding of society's complex issues so they can make the world a better place," says Jenn Capps, provost and vice president of academic affairs.

The programs are among those prioritized through the collaborative polytechnic planning process on campus. The fast-track timeline is highly dependent on additional state funding that has been proposed by the Governor and is being considered by the Legislature.

These programs, in addition to those in applied and social sciences slated for 2026 and 2029, are pending the necessary approvals by the CSU Chancellor's Office, CSU Board of Trustees, plus accreditation from various organizations.

The announcement comes as HSU explores becoming the third polytechnic university in the CSU and the only one in Northern California.

The new programs align with the university's vision of becoming a polytechnic that builds on a strong liberal arts foundation and long-standing commitment to sustainability and social justice; and infuses traditional ecological knowledge, renewable energy, and more.

A polytechnic status would have broad implications for the region and state. It would help revitalize the economy of the North Coast (where HSU is the largest employer), provide educational opportunities to students across the state, and help meet California's workforce needs.

"These programs are a



ON THE BEACH Students use seine nets to identify fish during a Fisheries Biology ichthyology class in Trinidad.

HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY PHOTO

win for HSU and the greater north state," says Mary Oling-Sisay, vice provost and dean of undergraduate and graduate studies. "They bring to life what we do and what we're known for and will augment our current offerings in a very significant area."

cant way."
New HSU degree programs

• Applied Fire Science & Management, Bachelor of Science, will develop the practical knowledge and skills to become fire science or management professionals. Created in collaboration with HSU's respected Forestry & Wildland Resourc-

es and Native American Studies programs, the Applied Fire Science & Management major will also include a breadth of perspectives and knowledge systems (e.g., traditional ecological knowledge), with an emphasis on incorporating indigenous practices.

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• Cannabis Studies,
Bachelor of Art, engages
a curriculum that centers
place with people, planet,
and prosperity as related
focal areas. These areas
encompass environmental,
life and physical sciences as
well as geography; sociology, anthropology, psychol-

ogy, history, politics, social work, Native American Studies, child development, kinesiology, and criminology and justice studies; and economics, business, and recreation management.

• Data Science, Bachelor of Science, develops the skills to synthesize knowledge and apply contemporary statistics, data analysis, and computational science methods to solve social and environmental problems.

• Energy Systems Engineering, Bachelor of Science, incorporates elements commonly included

in Civil, Environmental, Mechanical, and Electrical engineering disciplines. It is designed to prepare students for careers in developing, designing, operating, and analyzing clean energy systems.

• Geospatial Information Science & Technology, Bachelor of Science, prepares students for careers as Geographic Information System (GIS) analysts and specialists, remote sensing analysts, cartographers, photogrammetrists, and geographers.

• Engineering & Community Practice, Master of Science, develops future engineering leaders who will sustain, restore, and protect our natural resources and the environment.

• Marine Biology, Bachelor of Science, explores the diversity of marine life, its evolutionary history, the importance to our planet, and how it is impacted by human activities.

• Mechanical Engineering, Bachelor of Science, explores a range of integrated engineering systems that include thermal and electromechanical elements.

• Software Engineering, Bachelor of Science, applies engineering concepts to software development. It encompasses the development, operation, and maintenance of programs.

## This is the time of year to tread carefully on Snowy Plover habitat

FRIENDS OF THE DUNES

HUMBOLDT – Federally threatened western snowy plover males become the primary caretakers of chicks after they hatch. The first 30 days of a chick's life are crucial for its survival.

During those days, adult males spend a majority of their time keeping their chicks warm, protecting them from danger, and teaching them how to find their own food.

During the breeding season, extending from March through September, a male plover can breed two to three times.

To celebrate these wonderful, hard-working shorebirds, let's make sure we are respectful to their young and their habitat. Plovers live, nest, and raise their young on open, sandy beaches with sparse, native vegetation and hunt small bugs along the wrack



SNOWY PLOVERS It's all to easy to destroy the Plovers' nests and eggs – and to avoid doing so.

PHOTO BY NATALIA SOJKA

Nests and chicks are well camouflaged and easily blend into the sand to help keep away predators like ravens and skunks. Because of this, we need to be extra careful on beaches during the summer.

Even the most well-intentioned person and well-behaved dog can pose a threat by accidentally stepping on plover chicks and eggs, or by disturbing adults (including those dads) while they brood. The latter may result in eggs and chicks being left vulnerable to predation.

This summer, while enjoying our beautiful North Coast, there are some things you can do to ensure the protection and survival of the threatened western snowy plover:

• Respect all areas with posted signs and/or roped-off for the protection of wildlife.

• When walking on the beach, stay on the wet, hard-packed sand. Do not approach birds or nests

• Avoid prolonged picnicking or sunbathing near plover-nesting habitat.

• Camp or build fires only in designated areas.

• Be sure to know beach-specific dog rules before you go. If dogs are permitted, follow the leash rules and don't allow your dog to play in dry sand areas where birds are more prone to nest. Never allow your dog to chase birds.

• Do not leave or bury trash or food scraps on the beach. Garbage attracts predators such as gulls, crows, ravens and skunks. Please dispose of all trash properly and do not inadvertently (or intentionally) feed wildlife.

• If you're on a beach that allows vehicles, drive 'low and slow', staying on the hard-packed

sand below the high tide line.Avoid flying kites or other hovering objects near plover nest-

ing habitat.

To balance recreational opportunities and wildlife protection along the North Coast, beach activities may be restricted to certain areas during the critical nesting time, March 15 to September 15.

You can do your part by knowing and adhering to location-specific rules and regulations. For more information on the western snowy plover, beach rules and regulations, beach access, and a user-friendly dog guide visit:

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# **OPINIONEWS**

\* Sign your letter to the Mad River Union with a real name and a city of origin, plus a phone number (which won't be published) for identity verification and send it to opinion@madriverunion.com.

#### Let the Arcata Bottom heal

To our Board of Supervisors:

For you, the decision to allow a commercial cannabis grow on the Arcata Bottom may be what you think will be "good business" but to those of us who have made our livelihoods here, raised families, and honored the legacy of the farming tradition there is a strong effort to protect the last remaining portions of prime agricultural soil so that we and our grand- and greatgrand children — and yours — may know what it is like to live where sustainability and care for the environment is a natural and expected goal.

We bristle at the thought that we have to fight for what our grandparents came here for and bequeathed to us: In my case it was Great-Grandfather Pellegrino Giuntoli who brought his sons here to farm and whose name graces a major roadway near his old home farm at Giuntoli Lane.

His daughter Maria and her husband Vittorio established the Big Four Inn which fed generations of Humboldters, and his grandson Paul Giuntoli, whose excellent produce from his Warren Creek Farms brought us the farmer's market and introduced us to the goodness that came from clean soil.

So it was with astonishment that I watched the charade that was performed by the Humboldt County Planning Commission where opponents to the application by Sun Valley were scoffed at by Mr. Bongio as NIMBYs — and thus the Commissioners avoided any comprehensive attention to the objections callers were raising, and the blasé admission from at least two of the Commissioners that they had personal tours and "schmoozes" with the applicant should have disqualified the outcome of that blatant, pre-determined decision.

It is with great anticipation and hope that our elected Supervisors will take our appeal's questions and concerns much more seriously, and think about the implications of expanding cannabis cultivation on soil that could be reclaimed in the future for crops aimed at benefiting the community in more elementary fashion that something that goes up in smoke and leaves a residue and taint of failure for its community to repair once the balance sheet is no longer beneficial for the corporation which controls it — namely, in ranching and farming

## LETTERS

which will enhance food security and nourishment, secure and enhance a clean environment that provides beneficial health outcomes, and an atmosphere which creates a safe community with enough clean soil, water, and air to survive the impending forces of climate change.

We look to you for wise choices because once taken, it is us, our neighborhoods and our children who will bear the effects of your mistakes.

We have seen that in Canada where the cannabis boom emerged, there is a land-scape of utter devastation and waste once the balance sheet no longer favors corporate interests; and we plead with you to not let that happen here.

We ask that you deny the applicant's permission to farm cannabis here on the Bottom and allow that landscape to heal and sustain us for the future.

Respectfully submitted, Carol McFarland Arcata

#### Pension pressure

As the Arcata Fire Department deliberates about what to do regarding the more than \$6 million it owes to CalPERS for its pensions, let us take a moment and look at several other governmental agencies and their pension situations.

The City of Los Angeles has seen its required contributions to its pension funds increase from \$848 million in 2013 to \$1.32 billion for FY 2020-2021. These required contributions currently devour 20 percent of LA's budget and will climb to 25 percent of the budget by FY 2024-2025. In December 2020, LA called for elimination of 1,000 officer positions from LAPD, reducing sworn staffing to its lowest level since 1995.

In 2015, Eureka started paying down its unfunded pension debt. Eureka's pension debt payments were \$921,000 in 2015, \$1 million in 2016, \$3.9 million in 2017, \$4.6 million in 2018, \$5.4 million in 2019, and \$5.7 million in 2020. Going forward, these pension debt payments will increase from \$6 million in 2021 to \$8.4 million in 2029, and are currently scheduled to continue

until the year 2038. In 2015, Eureka cut \$834,000 from the EPD budget. Heading into budget talks in early 2020, Police Chief Steve Watson talked of how EPD had seen a 19 percent reduction in staffing since 2016. Eureka followed up these previous cuts to EPD in its FY 2020-2021 budget with a funding cut of \$1.1 million and loss of 6 more positions, including 4 officers, for EPD. Measure H, Eureka's huge sales tax increase from 0.5 percent to 1.25 percent, is helping reverse some of these previous cuts to EPD.

The City of San Diego recently increased its annual pension payments from \$250 million to \$350 million. \$350 million is 23 percent of San Diego's annual budget. This most recent increase in pension payments was caused by San Diego's pension debt climbing from \$1.2 billion in 2007 to over \$3 billion in 2020.

Over the last two decades, Humboldt County's annual contributions toward pension costs has grown from 18 percent of payroll costs to more than 32 percent. In 2015, Humboldt County had an unfunded pension liability of \$220 million, but could only pay 21 percent of its \$28.5 million obligation. In 2021, Humboldt County witnessed its unfunded pension liability increase to over \$330 million. Over the next decade alone. Humboldt County's required contributions are projected to increase by \$17 million per year. Add Humboldt County's \$330 million in pension debt to its \$250 million in deferred maintenance and you start talking about some serious money: \$580 million total. Over half a billion dollars.

The preferred solution brought forth by governmental agencies for their financial distress is to increase taxes: Measure F in Arcata, Measure H in Eureka, Measure Z for Humboldt County. Very often, however, tax increases do not cover increasing obligations, and debt increases and payments increase. It is very easy to measure dollars and police department staffing, but hard to measure what is not done due to lack of funding.

In a 2019 article covering Eureka's pension obligations, Senator Mike McGuire's comment was: "This is just the beginning." Hope this information helps describe what the "this" is that Mike McGuire is talking about.

Thanks for listening,
Patrick Cloney
Eureka

# Assertions without any foundation given

I want to respond to the letter to the editor in the May 22, 2021 edition of the *Times-Standard* regarding the proposed roundabout at the intersection of Old Arcata Road and Jacoby Creek Road.

The letter stated that the roundabouts and speed bumps negatively penalize all people, but no examples were given as to how drivers will be impacted.

It was stated that there might be better methods to slow traffic, but again, no solutions were given.

The issuing of traffic citations has shown to be ineffective in eliminating the problem. Roundabouts have been utilized in Europe for may years and now they are being installed throughout the United States.

> Scott R. Baker McKinleyville

# Vax protesters wanted to French kiss 'Nazis'

McKinleyville High School and the Open Door Clinic had a vaccination program at the gym for McKinleyville High School Students who had their parents' permission to get inoculated.

The newspaper article in the *Mad River Union* thought it was probably led by the Stand Up For Humboldt Group.

Demonstrators offered to "French kiss" the vaccinators and students trying to get vaccinated. Not surprisingly, the offer was promptly turned down.

They called the students and the vaccinators "Nazis." The way I learned history the Nazis were not bad people because the government was vaccinating Jewish youth with their parents permission to protect them against infectious diseases. They were bad people because they murdered millions of Jews.

John Corbett McKinleyville

## **Everyday wonder**

A burst of sunshine At the end of a long stalk; A dandelion.

> Sherman Schapiro Eureka

## **Budget** | Struggle to keep APD staffed

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With crime intensifying, the Arcata Police Department is being tasked with high demand for services even while budgetary resources remain constrained

APD is budgeted at \$7,087,356 for fiscal year 2021/22, up from this year's \$6,339,503. Some six APD staff positions remain frozen, including two police officers and one overhire officer. The police force is down two positions, from 27 to 25 personnel, and up to four more departures are expected this year.

Police Chief Brian Ahearn assured the council that core services continue to be delivered, long-term planning continues. "Public safety costs money, and to that tend everything we do within this department comes with a price tag," he said.

He said the department wants to be a team player through the tough times. "APD supports the very difficult decisions you have to make," Ahearn told the council. "This budget, while lean, is meaningful and allows us to continue to get the job done."

Councilmember Stacy Atkins-Salazar offered a suggestion for consideration, one in keeping with city goals. That would be to enlist "community ambassadors" to circulate in selected areas of town – mostly downtown and Northtown – to offer information and report crime.

Ahearn acknowledged that the idea has "tremendous value" and is used elsewhere, but that the ambassador would best be paired with an officer, especially if they're uniformed and perceived as authorty figures and police collaborators.

"They are going to be challenged, They are going to be intimidated. They are going to be threatened," he said, just as uniformed police officers are on a daily basis. "I'm somewhat fearful of their personal safety and what kinds of tools and training we're going to provide them."

He said the ambassadors could bring new liability exposure to the city. He mentioned the "lack of accountability" in the state's criminal justice system as exacerbating the hazard.

APD's faltering staffing will require "hard recruiting" efforts by the department. That is underway, but coordinating training and bringing in a new person is complicated, and takes at least a year.

Further, local law enforcement agencies are competing for a small pool of candidates locally. A recruitment flyer is being prepared for statewide outreach, one that sells Arcata as a nice place to live and work.

"This is a long-term investment," Ahearn said. "We look at this as a 15-month proposition for a 30-year commitment to the city."

New personnel might be fresh recruits or lateral transfers from elsewhere. "We just need good people," Ahearn said.

#### Elsewhere in the budget

The council also hear about a range of projects and programs managed by the Building and Engineering Services, Administrative and Financial Operations, Environmental Services and IT departments.

At the suggestion of Vice Mayor Brett Watson, Councilmembers made a tweak to the budget – taking half the estimated cost of removing the planter from the center of the Plaza and recommitting the \$15,000 for use in general Valley West improvements.

Another of Watson's suggestions was also readily embraced – diverting \$10,000 from the \$18,470 allocated for the Arcata Chamber of Commerce for use in collaborative projects with Humboldt State, such as improving lighting on the pedestrian footbridge.

Arcata's total fund balance is estimated at \$30,962,468, down \$235,401 from last year's \$31,197,868. The estimated General Fund balance is \$4,222,119. Enterprise funds are estimated at \$16,307,327. Special revenue stands at \$4,240,829.

## **Hall** | Compromise proposed

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All three alternatives – walk away, fight or rejoin, are problematic.

• Hall leadership finds "walking away" galling, in that it has organized over \$400,000 in improvements to the hall, which would be surrendered to the national organization.

• Rejoining isn't a decision the hall's board can make. It would require 14 individuals to formally join the Grange, take the "oath of fealty" and be responsible for managing the property and meeting the numerous requirements of both the Grange, and of local, state and federal non-profit law.

Hall president Carolyn Jones said members of the hall's Board of Directors have no interest in being part of the National Grange. Any new Grange leadership would have to arise from individuals in the community.

• Fighting to retain control would require putting up a bond and mounting a costly, multi-year legal battle. Further, the hall's legal arguments are untested and their effectiveness uncertain.

In online comments, Grange members extolled the national organization as welcoming, locally oriented and responsive to community needs.

California State Grange Deputy Will Shaw told the group that the court's decision is a done deal, and to give up its attempts at independence.

"I've come here tonight to make you a spetacular offer

to come home to the Grange,"
Shaw told attendees. "The court has ruled; the court will not change its mind...
You will not win... This is a Grange hall, and will always be a Grange hall."

Jones offered a compromise

– that the state Grange create
a new "historic membership"
category under which it would
become a non-voting affiliate
of the National Grange, but
remain independent. The position is detailed in a change.
org petition (see below).

"Acknowledge the Grange history, but let these halls that don't want to be Granges do what they can for their communities," she said, to thunderous applause.

Meanwhile, an online survey at *baysidecommunityhall.org* asks for community input on the pending decision.

#### 'Save Humboldt's Community Halls' – the *change.org* petition

Former grange halls across California, including five in Humboldt County (Bayside, Fieldbrook, Freshwater, Redcrest and Van Duzen), are being sued by the California State Grange, which seeks to take possession of all of their property because these communities are no longer interested in being part of the fraternal Grange of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry.

For more than 80 years, these halls have been built, funded, managed and maintained solely by their local communities, with no support from the grange organization.

These halls play critically important roles in their communities, tailored over many years to the unique needs of each. They provide crucial support to schools, fire districts, emergency response groups and the nonprofit community, as well as providing a venue for both private and public events. Loss of these buildings would be devastating.

The grange organization insists that local individuals have the right to manage and maintain these buildings for their communities only if they join the grange; however, the grange organization has not been successful in making itself attractive to potential members in our communities. Over a dozen halls have been lost in Humboldt and Del Norte counties since 2000. It does not make sense to require people to join an organization in which they have no interest for them to serve a role in stewardship of their local community hall.

We acknowledge our grange past and honor the men and women who built these halls. We are committed to continuing their work, and broadening it to our entire community, as 501c3 non-profit organizations. We seek a mutually beneficial compromise that ensures that our halls serve the entirety of our communities, not just those who might be interested in being grangers.

We petition the California State Grange to declare that all halls are owned by their local communities. We petition for development of a membership option that allows a former grange to become a non-voting affiliate, to pay dues and provide a meeting place for a chartered local chapter, but to otherwise function as an autonomous organization. We believe that this would provide the best opportunity for success for both local halls and the grange organization.



CITIZENSHIP AWARDS Above. Ellen Brown presents the George Herd Memorial Citizenship Award to Austin Mitchell at Trinidad Elementary's graduation ceremony on June 9. To receive this award, recipients must demonstrate outstanding qualities in attitude, character, school service, and community service and fill out applications so that the Herd Family can choose a recipient. Austin Mitchell was chosen for this award not only for his involvement in school and community service but mostly for his attitude and character. Many of his classmates wrote in their own applications for the award that Austin should be the recipient because "he is really kind and is really helpful to others." One student wrote, "Austin Mitchell deserves this







award more than anyone in the class. I don't think there is one kid in the class that doesn't like Austin." Austin helps others without being asked. He is a friend to everyone. Austin is very humble and does not realize the positive impact he has on those around him. His positive attitude and strength of character make him an outstanding citizen. In the middle photo,,Brown, secretary of the Trinidad Lions Club, presents Ella Eisner with Valedictorian Award at Trinidad Elementary's graduation ceremony on June. Ella Eisner is an outstanding student. She set her goal in 4th grade to make all As. Besides studies. Ella played volleyball. Basketball, helped with community projects and set another goal, to be Class valedictorian. Congratulation's Ellea for meeting both goals and being the outstanding person you are! Top right, Carlos Carrion, a student at Big Lagoon School, receives the George Herd Memorial Citizenship Award. His teacher, Ms. Macanas, said "Carlos is such a wonderfully kind and adaptable young man. Being the oldest in a multi-grade classroom, he has shown great kindness, patience and leadership with his younger peers. He is always ready and willing to help. Even during distance learning, Carlos has demonstrated resilience and adaptability as we navigated this crazy year. It has been such an honor to be his teacher, and I wish him all the best as he heads off to high school!" Right, Orick Elementary School graduates William Hufford and Nathan Gifford received the George Herd Memorial Citizenship Award at their graduation ceremony on June 16. According to their teacher, Matt Ross, both Nathan and William exhibit daily kindness and respect toward their peers and adults. When asked why these two should received the citizenship award, Mr. Ross stated, "I have worked with 8th graders for close to 30 years and the maturity these outstanding citizens show everyday is exceptional. They model exceptional behavior inside and outside the classroom everyday." These graduates are admired and respected by the staff and students at Orick Elementary School for their kindness, patience and for their enthusiasm for learning. They are true SUPERSTARS. Submitted PHOTO

## Trinidad looks at water options in severe drought

he Trinidad City Council formed a Water Advisory and dependable source(s) of water. Committee (WAC) which includes Councilman Richard Clompus and Citizen Advisory participants Bryce Kenny and Dwight Miller.

WAC had its first meeting on June 14 and Westhaven resident Paula Levine attended.

She wrote that WAC expressed determination to gather scientific data to help the Trinidad Council take decisive action to resolve Trinidad's water vulnerabilities.

The five areas of interest assigned to committee members include: upgrading storage capacity, fixing leaks, researching water sources, such as Mill Creek, to supplement Luffenholtz Creek, and a back-up plan if Luffenholtz fails to provide enough water due to extreme drought before the city makes

necessary improvements to the system. Paula writes that the public is encouraged to become in-

The next meeting is July 14 and can be attended via Zoom by going to the calendar page at *trinidad.ca.gov*.Minutes of the meeting are also posted on the City of Trinidad website.

> Go to "Documents," "Committees and Volunteers," and "Water Advisory Committee."

#### Martin Creek Trail maintenance

The Trinidad Coastal Land Trust organizes regular first Saturday trail maintenance gatherings to remove invasive species and improve public access at TCLT holdings. The Martin Creek Trail off Stagecoach Road is the July 3, 9:30 a.m. to noon destination for volunteers.

The trail is steep. Sturdy footwear and protective clothing recommended. Sign up by contacting Michelle Kunst at michelle@trinidadcoastallandtrust.org or

Email Patti at baycity@sonic.net.

call (707) 677-2501 for more information.



formed and participate in civil discourse, as all desire clean

## See otters, and otter art, at the marsh

CITY OF ARCATA

ARCATA – The Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center is proud to be hosting an otter for the North Coast Otters Public Arts Initiative.

Humboldt State University's North Coast Otters Public Arts Initiative is a community "treasure hunt" to find otter sculptures painted by local artists, and the project aims to celebrate life, water, otters, support local businesses and raise funds for student projects.

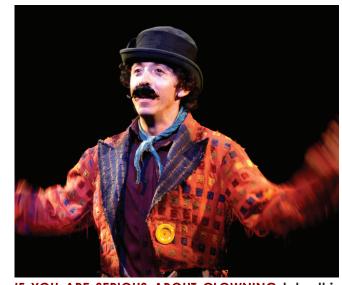
The otter on display at the Interpretive Center is known as "The Humbirder" and is the work of artist Shawn Gould. Community members are invited to visit the otter on weekends between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. when the center is open to the public.

The Interpretive Center would like to remind the community that river ot-THE HUMBIRDER by Sean Gould, for ters cross the roads frequently in areas is important for marsh visitors to drive slowly in order to keep otters, other wildlife and people safe.

Those who experience a river otter sighting at the marsh are encouraged to report it to the Humboldt State University River Otter Citizen Science Project. They are documenting river otter sightings from coastlines in Humboldt, Del Norte, and adjacent counties in Northern California and Southern Oregon. To report an otter sighting, email otters@humboldt.edu, call (707) 826-3439 or visit wildlife. humboldt.edu/people/jeff-black/research/otter.

The City of Arcata would like to thank Katy and Tom Allen for their sponsorship of Shawn Gould's otter. "The Humbirder" will be on view at the Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center, located at 569 South G St. in Arcata, until September.

For more on the North Coast Otters Public Arts Initiative, please visit otterart.humboldt.edu.



IF YOU ARE SERIOUS ABOUT CLOWNING take this workshop taught by Carlos Gallegos. Submitted Photo

#### Clown workshop in Blue Lake

BLUE LAKE - Dell' Arte is offering a clown workshop Wednesday, June 30 to Friday July 2 from 6 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, July 3 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. inside its Big Top Tent in Blue Lake. The class is for beginners age 17 to 126. The cost is \$120.

Find your inner clown, your own sense of humor and your unique way of expressing it on stage.

The clown comes from the circus, the theatre, the music hall and the Commedia dell'Arte. Chaplin and Roberto Benigni are masters of this art, in which mistakes and tenderness are essential.

A clown is funny because it deals with the comedy within tragedy and the actor's mistakes become the strengths of the clown. But what is a clown? That person who always arrives too late or too early. That little person, to whom everything is too big or too small. That person who trips two or even three times over the same rock. That person who has a special ability for being in the wrong place at the wrong time.

That musician who brings the piano closer to the chair rather than the chair closer to the piano. That Mr. Nobody who wants to be a Mr. Somebody. That marginalized person who tries to participate in society, and in doing so breaks it down and unveils it.

A clown is an unconscious critic of human relations. A clown is all that and more (or less), but in essence a clown is a clown!

The workshop will be taught by Carlos Gallegos, who is an actor, teacher, playwright and theater director. He studied in the United States (Dell'Arte International School), France (Jacques Lecoq International School and Le Samovar Clown School) and Ecuador (Malayerba School and Teatro del Cronopio) among others.

For information, email carlos@dellarte.com, matt@ dellarte.com call (707) 479 7345.

MARSH BIRDS Friends of the Arcata Marsh (FOAM) is sponsoring a free tour of the Arcata Marsh & Wildlife Sanctuary on Saturday, June 26. Meet leader Leslie Scopes Anderson at 2 p.m. in front of the Interpretive Center (the building should be open to the public) on South G Street for a 90-minute walk focusing on marsh birds, plants, and/or ecology. Masks are required inside the Interpretive Center but not outdoors on trails. For more information, call (707) 826-2359.



MARSH TOUR Join Redwood Region Audubon Society for a free guided field trip at the Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary on Saturday, June 26 from 8:30 to 11 a.m., with leader Elizabeth Meisman. Bring your binoculars and have a great morning birding. Reservations are required and space is limited. Please visit rras.org for COVID-19 participation guidelines. Contact shrikethree@

*gmail.com* by 6 p.m. the day before the preferred walk date. Include name, email and phone number for each participant.

WIGI WETLANDS WORKDAY Join Redwood Region Audubon Society for a Wigi Wetlands Volunteer Workday on Saturday, June 26 from 9 to 11 a.m. Help create bird-friendly native habitat and restore a section of the bay trail. The trail section is located behind the Bayshore Mall and volunteers will meet in the parking lot directly behind Walmart. Please visit rras.org for COVID-19 participation guidelines. We will provide tools and packaged snacks. Please bring your own water, gloves, and face mask. Please contact Jeremy Cashen at jeremy.cashen@yahoo.com or (214) 605-7368.

STUDENTS EARN THEIR DEGREES Several local students recently graduated from Oregon State University in Corvallis, Ore. Kelly E. Rodman of Arcata graduated with a master of science degree in environmental engineering. Jennifer C. Downs of Eureka graduated with a master of fine arts degree in creative writing. Nena M. Hames of Hoopa graduated with a bachelor of science degree in liberal studies. Sierra M. Joyner of McKinleyville graduate with a bachelor of science degree in biology. Josee Rousseau of McKinleyville graduated with a doctor of philosophy degree in forest ecosystems and society



the North Coast Otters Public Arts Ini- surrounding the marsh and at the Artiative, courtesy of the Arcata Marsh cata Marsh & Wildlife Sanctuary, so it Interpretive Center. Submitted PHOTO



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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** NAME STATEMENT 21-00386

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: R. THORP CO. HERSH-BURGER CO. 271 SPRING RD. WHITEHORN, CA 95589 P.O. BOX 6441 SAN PEDRO, CA 90734 COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT MICHAEL S. HERSHBURGER 306 S. MIRALESTE DR. #56 SAN PEDRO, CA 90732 CONDUCTED BY:

AN INDIVIDUAL S/MICHAEL S. HERSHBURG-SOLE PROPRIETOR

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MAY 26, 2021 KELLY E. SANDERS SC DEPUTY CLERK 6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MAD RIVER MASSAGE 121 ACACIA DR. BLUE LAKE, CA 95525 P.O. BOX 221 **BLUE LAKE, CA 95525 COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT** LEIA SCHULTZ 121 ACACIA DR. **BLUE LAKE, CA 95525** 

CONDUCTED BY: AN INDIVIDUAL S/LEIA SCHULTZ REGISTRANT/OWNER This statement was filed with

the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 17, 2021 KELLY E. SANDERS SC DEPUTY CLERK 6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14

> **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** NAME STATEMENT 21-00418

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OWNER This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on JUNE 11, 2021 KELLY E. SANDERS SC DEPUTY CLERK 6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14

> FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 21-00414

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A LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY

S/JASON YANG OWNER

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AN INDIVIDUAL S/KALENE R. DEMARTINI This statement was filed with

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6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30

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PANY S/GINO YSMAEL GRANADOS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER This statement was filed with

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MAY 25, 2021

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> **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** NAME STATEMENT 21-00372

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1000 **BOISE, ID 83702** CONDUCTED BY: A CORPORATION S/BRIAN KUCHARSKI **PRESIDENT** 

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on MAY 21, 2021 KELLY E. SANDERS SC. DEPUTY CLERK 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30

> **FICTITIOUS BUSINESS** NAME STATEMENT 21-00392

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: **HUMBOLDT HOME LOANS** 2222 MYRTLE AVENUE EUREKA, CA 95501 COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT **HUMBOLDT PACIFIC** MORTGAGE CORP. CA C4743357 2222 MYRTLE AVENUE

EUREKA, CA 95501 CONDUCTED BY: A CORPORATION S/JODY HARPER CEO/PRESIDENT This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on

MAY 27, 2021 KELLY E. SANDERS TN. DEPUTY CLERK 6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23

> **ORDER TO SHOW** CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

**ROBERT LEE CLARKE** SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUM-**

**BOLDT** CASE NO. CV2100713 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: ROBERT LEE CLARKE to Proposed name: LEE ROB-

IN CLARKE 2. THE COURT OR-DERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street. Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the

tition without a hearing. Date: JULY 9, 2021 Time: 1:45 p.m.

court may grant the pe-

Dept.: 4 For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit https://www.humboldt. courts.ca.gov/.

3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union.

Date: MAY 21, 2021 KELLY L. NEEL Judge of the Superior Court

6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23

**ORDER TO SHOW** CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME TIMIN

MICHELLE GABRIELA SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA **COUNTY OF HUM-**BOLDT

**CASE NO. CV2100747** TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: GABRI-

CHELLE ELA TIMIN to Proposed name: SOPHIE SHOSHANNA TIMIN 2. THE COURT OR-DERS that all persons

interested in this matter appear before this court located at 825 5th Street Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be

tition without a hearing. Date: JULY 16, 2021 Time: 1:45 p.m.

granted. If no written ob-

jection is timely filed, the

court may grant the pe-

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Date: MAY 27, 2021 KELLY L. NEEL Judge of the Superior Court

6/2, 6/9, 6/16, 6/23

**ORDER TO SHOW** CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME **MATTHEW MARTIN EUGENE DIAZ** SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUM-**

BOLDT **CASE NO. CV2100769** TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: MAT-THEW MARTIN EU-**GENE DIAZ** to Proposed name: MATTHEW MAR-TIN EUGENE DIAZ **CAUDILL** 

2. THE COURT OR-DERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. Date: JULY 16, 2021

Time: 1:45 p.m.

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3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River

Union. Date: JUNE 2, 2021 KELLY L. NEEL Judge of the Superior

Court 6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30

**ORDER TO SHOW** CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME **IRENE LISA MARIE** DIAZ **SUPERIOR COURT** OF

**CALIFORNIA** COUNTY OF HUM-BOLDT **CASE NO. CV2100770** 

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: 1. Petitioner has filed a

petition with this court

for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: IRENE

**LISA MARIE DIAZ** to Proposed name: IRENE LISA MARIE **DIAZ CAUDILL** 

2. THE COURT OR-DERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: JULY 16, 2021 Time: 1:45 p.m.

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Date: JUNE 2, 2021 KELLY L. NEEL Judge of the Superior

6/9, 6/16, 6/23, 6/30

**ORDER TO SHOW** CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

JEFF DAVID SCOLARI SUPERIOR COURT OF **CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUM-BOLDT** 

**CASE NO. CV2100795** TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: JEFF DAVID SCOLARI

to Proposed name: XEFF DAVID SCOLARI 2. THE COURT OR-DERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 ifornia, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court

may grant the petition without a hearing. Date: JULY 23, 2021 Time: 1:45 p.m.

Dept.: 4 For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/. 3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River

Union. Date: JUNE 4, 2021 KELLY L. NEEL Judge of the Superior

Court 6/16, 6/23, 6/30, 7/7

**CITY OF ARCATA LEGAL NOTICE ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 1546** I hereby certify that

al circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union. Date: JUNE 14, 2021

KELLY L. NEEL at a regular meeting held on June 2, 2021 Judge of the Superior the Arcata City Council Court

introduced Ordinance

No. 1546, summarized

below, An Ordinance of

the City Council of the

City of Arcata Amend-

ing Zoning Regulations

Pertaining to Formula

Restaurants, at which

time the reading in full

thereof was waived and

approval granted for

reading the ordinance

by title only. Ordinance

No. 1546 was passed

and adopted at a regu-

lar City Council meeting

held on June 16, 2021,

by the following vote:

AYES: Pereira, Watson,

NOES: None. ABSENT:

STENTIONS: None.

Bridget Dory,

Clerk, City of Arcata

Summary of

Ordinance No. 1546

This ordinance amends

Arcata's formula restau-

rant zoning regulations

to: clarify the definition

and "coffee shop"; con-

firm the total number

of formula restaurants

allowed at nine (9): con-

firm no formula restau-

rants will be allowed in

the downtown business

district: eliminate the

geographical limitations

districts, except Valley

West; prohibit mobile

with formula restau-

rants unless parked at

the restaurant site; and

distinguish between in-

dividual restaurants and

restaurants operated as

The full text of Ordi-

nance No. 1546 is avail-

able for public inspec-

tion at the office of the

City Clerk, Arcata City

Hall, 736 F Street, Ar-

cata, California, Monday

through Friday, between

9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The ordinance will take

effect July 16, 2021, BY

ORDER OF THE CITY

COUNCIL OF THE CITY

Dated:

City

OF ARCATA.

June 16, 2021.

6/23

Bridget Dory,

Clerk, City of Arcata

**ORDER TO SHOW** 

CAUSE

FOR CHANGE OF

NAME

**CASSANDRA ROSE** 

GUY

SUPERIOR COURT OF

**CALIFORNIA** 

COUNTY OF HUM-

**BOLDT** 

CASE NO. CV2100830

TO ALL INTERESTED

PERSONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a

netition with this court

for a decree changing

Present name: CAS-

SANDRA ROSE GUY

to Proposed name: EL-

2. THE COURT OR-

DERS that all persons

interested in this mat-

ter appear before this

court, located at 825

5th Street, Eureka, Cal-

ifornia, at the hearing

indicated below to show

cause, if any, why the

application should not

be granted. Any person

objecting to the name

above must file a written

objection that includes

the reasons for the ob-

jection at least two court

davs before the mat-

ter is scheduled to be

heard and must appear

at the hearing to show

cause why the petition

should not be granted.

If no written objection

is timely filed, the court

may grant the petition

Date: JULY 30, 2021

Time: 1:45 p.m.

Dept.: 4

how to appear remotely

for your hearing, please

visit https://www.hum-

3. A copy of this Order

to Show Cause shall be

published at least once

a week for four succes-

sive weeks prior to the

date set for hearing on

the petition in the follow-

ing newspaper of gener-

boldt.courts.ca.gov/.

For information on

without a hearing.

described

changes

LIOT ROSE LORNE

names as follows:

accessory uses.

vendors

various business

associated

"restaurant," "café,"

Schaefer.

AB-

City

dent.

Goldstein,

Atkins-Salazar.

6/23, 6/30, 7/7, 7/14

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ES-TATE OF **ROBERT GENE VANCE** CASE NO.: PR2100158 To all heirs, beneficiaries,

thority.

as follows:

Dept.: 6

95501.

COURT

CLOSED

Date: July 15, 2021

Address of court: Su-

perior Court of California,

County of Humboldt, 825

Fifth Street Fureka CA

PUBLIC DUE TO THE

COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

PLEASE VISIT https://

www.humboldt.courts.

ca.gov FOR INFORMA-

TION ON HOW TO PAR-

TICIPATE IN AN ONLINE

If you object to the

granting of the petition,

you should appear at the

hearing and state your

objections or file written

objections with the court

before the hearing. Your

appearance may be in

person or by your attor-

VIDEO HEARING.

MAY

TO

BE

THE

Time: 1:31 PM

creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of **KEVIN D. TRUBY** A Petition for Probate

has been filed by RYAN TRUBY in the Superior Court of California, County of HUMBOLDT. The Petition for Probate requests that: ryan truby

be appointed as personal

representative to adminis-

ter the estate of the dece-

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons

unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of ei-

unless an interested perther (1) four months from son files an objection to the date of first issuance the petition and shows of letters to a general pergood cause why the court sonal representative, as should not grant the audefined in section 58(b) of the California Probate A hearing on the petition will be held in this court

Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or per-

sonal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

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You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. TIMOTHY J. WYKLE MATHEWS. KLUCK.

WALSH, WYKLE & LATT, 100 M STREET EUREKA, CA 95501 (707) 442-3758 6/23, 6/30, 7/7

T.S. No.: 2020-01967-CA A.P.N.:004-015-003-000 Property Address: 203 W GRANT STREET, EUREKA, CA 95501

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE 8 2923.3(a) and (d). THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION REFERRED TO BELOW IS NOT ATTACHED TO THE RECORDED COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR.

NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED

注:本文件包含一个信息摘要

참고사항. 본 점부 문서에 정보 요약서가 있습니다 NOTA: SE ADJUNTA UN RESUMEN DE LA INFORMACIÓN DE ESTE DOCUMENTO TALA: MAYROONG BUOD NG IMPORMASYON SA DOKUMENTONG ITO NA NAKALAKIP LUU Y: KEM THEO ĐÂY LA BAN TRINH BAY TOM LUYC VE THÔNG TIN TRONG TÁI LIEU NAY IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER:

ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 07/15/2004. UNLESS YOU TAKE

Trustor: TOM M. SHIVELY AND CYNTHIA A. SHIVELY, HUSBAND AND WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS

Duly Appointed Trustee: Western Progressive, LLC Deed of Trust Recorded 07/23/2004 as Instrument No. 2004-24771-22 in book ---, page--- and of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Humboldt County, California, Date of Sale: 07/19/2021 at 10:00 AM

Place of Sale: FRONT ENTRANCE, HUMBOLDT COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 825 5TH STREET, EUREKA, CA 95501

Estimated amount of unpaid balance, reasonably estimated costs and other charges: \$ 98,813.19

#### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

THE TRUSTEE WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK DRAWN ON A STATE OR NATIONAL BANK, A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL CREDIT UNION, OR A CHECK DRAWN BY A STATE OR FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, A SAVINGS ASSOCIATION OR SAVINGS BANK SPECIFIED IN SECTION 5102 OF THE FINANCIAL CODE AND AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE

All right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described as

More fully described in said Deed of Trust.

Street Address or other common designation of real property: 203 W GRANT STREET, EUREKA, CA

A.P.N.: 004-015-003-000

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other comdesignation, if any, shown above.

The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said note(s) advances under the terms of said Deed of Trust fees charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$ 98,813,19.

Note: Because the Beneficiary reserves the right to bid less than the total debt owed, it is possible that at the time of the sale the opening bid may be less than the total debt.

If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further

The beneficiary of the Deed of Trust has executed and delivered to the undersigned a written request to commence foreclosure, and the undersigned caused a Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in

#### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on this property.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (866)-960-8299 or visit this Internet Web site <a href="http://www.altisource.com/MortgageServi">http://www.altisource.com/MortgageServi</a> DefaultManagement/TrusteeServices.aspx using the file number assigned to this case 2020-01967-CA Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale.

NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction, if conducted after January 1, 2021, pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call (855)-976-3916, or visit this internet website https://tracker.auction.com/sb1079, using the file number assigned to this case 2020-01967-CA to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than  $15\ days$  after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid, by remitting the funds and affidavit described in Section 2924m(c) of the Civil Code, so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase.

> Western Progressive, LLC, as Trustee for beneficiary C/o 1500 Palma Drive, Suite 237 Sale Information Line: (866) 960-8299 http:// www.altisource.com/MortgageServices/DefaultManagement/ TrusteeServices.aspx

Date: April 30, 2021

Trustee Sale Assistant

WESTERN PROGRESSIVE, LLC MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT

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## Here's your list of summer water safety practices & resources

HUMBOLDT DHHS

HUMBOLDT - This summer, make safety at the rivers, oceans and lagoons a top priority.

Local waterways are cold and have swift currents, which can pose threats to even the strongest swimmers.

Remember these tips for staying safe near water: • Wear a life jacket.

Unlike other floatation devices, life jackets are specifically designed to keep the head above water. Always use a life jacket that is approved by the U.S. Coast Guard.

• Never leave a child unattended in or near water. Water and alcohol

don't mix. Up to 70 percent of all

recreational drowning incidents involve alcohol, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

• At the river, be aware of hazards below the surface of the water.

Trees, rocks and sunken objects are likely and can move after high flows. A location that was safe could be dangerous during your next visit.

• At the ocean, choose flat beaches over those with steep slopes.

Watch for sneaker waves and keep your distance from the water's

Humboldt County has lifejacket loan stations at popular locations throughout the county:

• W. Way County Park, Mattole Road, Petrolia

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(707) 445-7652 • Big Lagoon Park, 510

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(707) 445-7652

• Dream Quest, 100 Country Club Drive, Willow Creek

(530) 629-3564

(707) 443-6484

• Eureka National Weather Service Office, 300 Startare Drive, Eure-

• Freshwater Park, 3100 Freshwater Road, Eureka (707) 445-7652 · Grizzly Creek Red-

woods State Park, 16949 Highway 36, Carrlotta (707) 777-3683

• Humboldt Redwoods State Park, Burlington Visitors Center, Avenue of the Giants, Weott

(707) 946-1811

· Richardson Grove State Park, 1600 Highway 101, Garberville

(707) 247-3318

• Tsewenaldin Inn, 12400 Highway 96, Hoopa (530) 625-4294

• Tsunami Surf & Sport, 445 Conger Street, Building B, Garberville (707) 923-1965

Van Duzen County Park, Swimmer's Delight Park Driverlotta

(707) 445-7652

For more information, visit humboldtgov.org/ LifeJacketLoanProgram, humboldtgov.org/watersafetyprogram or call the Department of Health & Human Services Healthy Communities Division of Public Health at (707) 268-2132.

